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## Confirmation Service.

On Sunday last confirmation services were conducted in St. Patrick's church of this city, by Bishop Grace, assisted by Rev. Father Gleason. There was an unusually large class of applicants, as the sacrament of confirmation is generally held here every four years, but this time a period of five years had elapsed since the previous confirmation. The applicants were from 11 years of age upward, and numbered 149. For several months the work of preparation had been in progress, in training the youths for this service. The bishop was highly pleased with everything pertaining to the arrangements, and the resident priests desire to express their thanks to all who assisted in the work of preparation.

The names of those confirmed are as follows:

### Girls.

Dorothy Sargent  
Idalia O'Neill  
Hilda Sanguinetti  
Teresa Leonese  
Teresa Ferrari  
Teresa Bacich  
Inez Lam  
Annie Lepley  
Pearl Mattie  
Jane Garibaldi  
Mamie Muzio  
Julia Foppiano  
Katie Fregulia  
Etta Garibaldi  
Lena Fisher  
Lylla Morrow  
Eva Parano  
Alma Cassinelli  
Ruby Scatena  
Henrietta O'Neill  
Enid Joy  
Martha Ellis  
Verda Oneto  
Katie Ferrari  
Julia Zuccone  
Helen Delama  
Gertrude Garbarini  
Lucy Genolio  
Oda Ginochio  
Rose Marcucci  
Celia Gabillino  
Mrs H. O'Neill  
Anna Conlon  
Loretta Newman  
Leota Huberty  
Jenet Lavezzo  
Roma Quirolo  
Edith Cannonica  
Caesira Cassassa  
Della Lagomarsino  
Jennie Ratto

### Boys.

Leslie Love  
Eugene Boro  
Luke Glavinich  
John Glavinich  
Tony Spinetti  
Louis Spinetti  
Albert Raggio  
Angelo Bernero  
Charles Raggio  
John Spinetti  
Edward Muldoon  
Ernest Brown  
Emmet Murphy  
Frank Cuneo  
Raymond Plasse  
Earl Garbarini  
Leon Schwartz  
John Devalle  
Holt Vicini  
Frank Garibaldi  
John Perovich  
Marion Hurst  
Ernie Tam  
Matthew Muldoon  
Joseph Bonti  
Clarence Brown  
Maurice Ghilino  
Albert Marini  
Clyde Ferrari  
Paul Devalle  
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## Gave a Pasty Supper.

Encino Circle No. 617 Women of Woodcraft indulged in a pasty supper eat Tuesday evening, April 20, after their regular meeting. A number of the ladies of this order are Cornish, or of Cornish extraction, and the local controversy on the subject was the means indirectly of bringing about this repast. That the supper was fully enjoyed by all goes without saying. Among the ladies who still claim to be English, even if they came from Cornwall, who made this pasty supper such a huge success may be mentioned Madames James, Jeffrey, White, Bastian, Batchelder. The membership of this order is steadily increasing and the officers and members are constantly striving to make the meetings attractive. The next thing the order will give will be a basket picnic.

## 1-4 of Pound a Week

at least, is what a young baby ought to gain in weight. Does yours? If not there's something wrong with its digestion. Give it McGee's Baby Elixir and it will begin gaining at once. Cures stomach and bowel troubles, aids digestion, stops fretfulness, good for teething babies. Price 25c and 50c. Sold by Ruber's City Pharmacy.

## Chicago Street Is Named for Drytown Man.

Chicago, April 16.—The eponym of the far-famed Clark street is in town. He is William O. Clark of Drytown, Amador county, California; is the oldest prohibitionist on earth, being 92 years old; has not had a drink of intoxicating liquor in seventy-five years, and after a trip up and down his former favorite thoroughfare, remarked that "now it seems to be pretty well irrigated."

Mr Clark is visiting his only son, H. O. Clark. He says this is the first time he has seen Chicago since they used to call it Skunkville. His father, he declares, "owned the territory on both sides of what is now down-town Clark street, but sold it long before the big jump in land values came. At prohibition headquarters he said:

"I signed the pledge seventy-five years ago and I haven't let a drop pass my lips from that time to this. I hadn't been a drinker before that, mind you. I just signed up because that was the way my folks had been doing for six or eight generations. Its my experience that in order to get a real good prohibitionist you've got to start 200 years back. Get the right kind of ancestors and posterity will take care of itself."

Mr Clark attended the meeting of the grand lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars in 1869, which resulted in the formation of the National Prohibition party. He was chairman of the world's temperance congress that met in Independence hall, Philadelphia, in 1876.

While he was not battling with the "demon rum" Mr Clark was fighting Indians. He served in Captain Sisson's company, Illinois volunteers in the Black Hawk war, and today is the only survivor of that organization, which contained over 100 men. Twenty-four years after the close of that war he applied for a pension. It was granted in May, 1906.

## Meeting of Bank Directors.

A meeting of those interested in the Bank of Amador County was held in Jackson on the 11th instant at which matters relating to the affairs of the bank generally were discussed. Everything was found to be moving along as smoothly and prosperously as the most sanguine could expect. A finance committee consisting of three members was appointed as follows: C. L. Culbert, B. P. Taylor, and W. J. McFee. The duty of this committee will be to pass upon applications for loans and other matters of finance.

It was also decided definitely to establish a branch in Sutter Creek. Likewise to engage an expert accountant to examine and report upon the affairs of the bank. This latter action was taken not because of any inkling whatever that anything was amiss, but more as a formal affair, and it demonstrates the high standing of the institution. The expert will enter upon his duties in a few days.

## Up Before the Bar

N H Brown, an attorney, of Pittsfield, Vt., writes: "We have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for years and find them such a good family medicine we wouldn't be without them." For chills, constipation, biliousness or sick headache they work wonders. 25c at Spagnoli's Drug Store.

## Baseball Game.

A game of baseball, the opening game of the season for the regular adult local team, was played on the grounds of the athletic club on Sunday afternoon last, between the Jackson boys and a team from Placerville. The local players won with a score of 7 to 6. The playing in the opinion of those versed in the game, was nothing to brag about on either side, showing lack of practice. No doubt the devotees will improve as the season advances. We are unable to give the official score as we are informed the club does not keep any official record of the games, nor even a score book. It is said to be a private matter. That is certainly a unique way of doing things.

## Now Is The Time.

to make up your mind to have that "photo" taken. Don't put it off any longer—you'll never be any younger or look any better than you do right now. Call at Logan's 15 S. San Joaquin street, the next time you are in Stockton, and let him fix you up. Then you can agreeably surprise your friends by giving them a likeness of yourself. Best workmanship—lowest cost.

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## Western Federation Officials In Jackson.

Chas. H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, visited the local union on Wednesday of last week, and made an address to the members. His visit was of no special significance, and he left Thursday morning for Angels Camp. He is traveling for his health as much as anything else. Mr. Cora, employed as an organizer by the Western Federation, came at the same time as Mr. Moyer, and is here yet, and will probably remain for some time. His business is to establish new unions and to strengthen those already in existence. The latter purpose is perhaps the main object of his mission to this part of the mother lode.

## President Roosevelt Says

that outdoor exercise is needed by the American people. That's all very well, but how can people with rheumatism follow that advice? The answer is simple—use Ballard's Snow Liniment and the rheumatism will go; leaving you as spry as a colt. Gives quick and permanent relief from rheumatism, neuralgia, lame back and all pains. Sold by Rusher's City Pharmacy.

## Picnic At Lone.

The members of Lone Parlor N. S. G. W. will give a grand picnic and ball in Lone on Saturday May 1st. Judge F. V. Wood will deliver an address, and various amusements will be provided during the day, including a baseball game between Jackson and Wallace teams; also a basketball between the girls of Lone and Lodi high schools. Also horse races, and other sports. To wind up with a grand ball in the pavilion in the evening. The railroad will take passengers at one fare for the round trip on that day. A pleasurable time is guaranteed to all pleasure-seekers on that occasion. See advertisement in another column.

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Mrs E. C. Rutherford, accompanied by her daughter Miss Zoe Sanborn, leave Monday for a visit to Jackson, where they will spend several weeks visiting relatives and friends.—Bee.

## MINING NOTES.

Original Amador—At this property at Amador City they have commenced grading for the erection of a twenty stamp mill. After cleaning out the old shaft, to the bottom, the parties interested found an ore body of sufficient size and quality to justify a mill, and so will proceed at once with the construction of the same. We remember at the time work was stopped some 30 years ago, the trouble was said to be not so much lack of ore, as the exceeding hardness of the rock. But the facilities of economical extraction of ore have greatly improved, and also in other matters connected with active mining, so that there is no reason why the mine, even what it was claimed at that time was all true, should not prove profitable under present conditions.

Alma.—Instructions have been received from officers of the Alma company to have certain needed repairs made around the collar of the shaft. The timbers have become decayed, and the work contemplated consists in replacing the insecure timbers, so as to make everything safe. It was hoped at first that the move was preliminary to the commencement of the reopening of the property, but as far as we can ascertain nothing of the kind is contemplated at present. The repairs will not take more than three or four days to complete.

Argonaut.—The Argonaut mill has been running the full capacity of 40 stamps for the past three weeks. The work of laying the foundation for the large compressor is proceeding as rapidly as possible. Drifting south from the 3150 level is being pushed ahead. The prospects are encouraging for the speedy dawn of a prosperous era for this famous mine as any heretofore enjoyed.

Dredging Along Mokelumne.—Mr Thornton, who bought the Northrup orchard a mile from Lancha Plana, two-years ago was in Jackson yesterday. He reports that considerable land along the banks of the river has been bonded for dredger purpose. A dredger has been at work a few miles lower down the river for a long time. According to all accounts, the output is very satisfactory. They clean up about every week. Little is given out as to the yield, although rumor puts the yield as high as \$3000 sometimes for a run. The objection to this method is that it renders the fine river bottom land subjected to

this process unfit for cultivation for many years afterwards. A highly productive orchard is left a waste of rocks. Garibaldi-Placer.—Jos. Garibaldi has stripped about 200 feet more ground along the auriferous gravel channel. It is reported that about \$800 was picked up in coarse gold along the bedrock, without a regular clean-up.

## Italian Picnic.

Arrangements for the grand annual picnic in celebration of Italian independence at Fullens grove on the first Sunday in June are progressing satisfactorily. The base ball game between the regulars of Jackson, and a picked team from Sutter Creek and elsewhere has been definitely settled; each side has put up a forfeit of \$50 to bind the match. The various concessions for merry-go-round and other amusements will soon be given out. Everything promises a more attractive program than has been provided for many years.

After a heavy meal, take a couple of Doan's Regulets, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulets bring easy, regular passages of the bowels.

We take pleasure in noting the fact that the widow and three children [of the late Andrew Ghillotti, former residents of Amador City, but of late years residing in the city of San Francisco, are the recipients of the nice little sum of two thousand dollars from the Knights of the Maccabees of the World, as the result of the parental solicitude and wise provision of their husband and father. O. E. Martin, record keeper of Amador Tent No. 65, received from the Supreme Tent a check for the aforementioned amount on Tuesday of last week, and immediately forwarded the same to the beneficiaries in San Francisco.—Amador Record.

## Words to Freeze the Soul.

"Your son has consumption. His case is hopeless." These appalling words were spoken to Geo. E. Hevens, a leading merchant of Springfield, N. C. by two expert doctors—one a lung specialist. Then was shown the wonderful power of Dr. King's New Discovery. "After three weeks use," writes Mr Hevens "he was as well as ever. I would not take all the money in the world for what it did for my boy." Infallible for coughs and colds, its the safest, surest cure of desperate lung diseases on earth. 50c and \$1.00. Guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free. Spagnoli's Drug Store.



## Editorial Column.

### THE ECONOMY PLEA.

The Dispatch of last week endeavored to create the impression that the real cause of the change in the management of the county hospital was based on economy, and attempts to trot out an array of figures in support of this view, by comparing the cost for provisions under the last democratic administration of that institution in 1899 and 1900, when R. F. Allen was superintendent with the cost under the administration of Lemoin from September, 1907, to September, 1908. The contention of economy is merely a subterfuge. It is not put forward in good faith, and we venture to say was never dreamed of by those who were instrumental in bringing about the change. It is another sample of misrepresentation and trickiness which have played so conspicuous a part in county management of late years. To convey the impression that Fred Lemoin, as superintendent of the county hospital, was not careful of the financial interests of the county during his term of office, will be branded as absolutely false by everyone who is at all conversant with the facts. No man who has ever had charge of that institution was more alive to guarding the interests of the taxpayers, and at the same time protecting the welfare of the inmates, than he.

The Ledger is not so blinded by partisanship that it cannot be just. We are willing to concede that under Mr. Allen the affairs of the county hospital were fairly and economically administered. We have no fault to find with his record. But we do emphatically protest against any comparison of the bare cost of provisions and supplies between hospital matters under Allen in 1900, and Lemoin in 1908, as affording any basis for a just conclusion as regards efficiency or economy either for or against either superintendent. If this were the true criterion of judgment, it would follow that the old method of ancient days of letting the hospital management and maintenance to the lowest bidder was preferable. Our indigent sick and poor cost about one quarter as much in those days as they do now; but that affords no argument why we should return to a system long since discarded as disgraceful and inhuman.

To show the fallacy of any comparison of the bills for provisions between 1900 and 1908, it is only necessary to consider the market price of articles during the two periods. It is well known that in 1900 everything was at bedrock rates; that the cost of living has increased from 30 to 40 per cent since that year. To show the difference we herewith give the cost of a few staple articles taken from the contracts awarded the successful bidders for hospital supplies for the two years named:

	1900	1908		1900	1908
Flour, per barrel	\$3 10	\$5 30	Tobacco, 1b.	0 38	0 42
Potatoes, 100 lbs.	0 75	1 25	Syrup, 3 gal.	1 25	1 75
Oatmeal	0 85	0 90	Baking powder, 5 lbs	1 25	1 50
Tea, 3 lb box	0 35	0 50	Bacon and ham, 1b	0 07½	0 11
Sugar, granulated	0 05¼	0 05½	Eggs, per dozen	0 12½	0 20
Butter, per lb	0 18	0 22			

This comparison will suffice to account for much of the difference of the cost of running the hospital. We have looked up the figures showing the warrants cancelled against the hospital fund and find the total for 1900 was \$6637.48, while for 1908 the total sum was \$10,161.20; showing that the expense was \$3523.74 less in the first named than in the last named year. This total includes everything, however. But enhanced price of staple articles is by no means the only explanation. Another important factor is the system adopted of late years by the supervisors of pensioning indigents outside of the hospital. This system was started in 1901, and has grown—as it was predicted at the time it was inaugurated—to formidable proportions at the present time. On this score the comparison of the two years shows up as follows:

	1900	1908		1900	1908
January	—	\$112	August	—	165
February	—	140	September	—	144
March	—	152	October	—	147
April	—	128	November	—	221
May	—	110	December	—	151
June	—	158		—	—
July	—	122	Total	0 00	\$1750

Here is a clear expense of \$1750 for the last year, which is entirely due to the supervisors, and over which the superintendent had no control whatever. And there is nothing to offset this in the Allen period.

Then again, take the receipts from paid patients, and the comparison again looms up in favor of Lemoin. Here are the official figures:

	1900	1908		1900	1908
	Allen term	Lemoin term			
January	\$20 00	\$96 75	August	—	—
February	8 00	—	September	—	\$2 50
March	—	67 60	October	15 00	81 75
April	26 00	12 50	November	—	20 00
May	—	79 00	December	—	76 50
June	39 00	—		—	—
July	—	7 50	Total	\$114 00	\$533 50

Here we have a net gain for Lemoin of \$379.89. Never in the history of the institution has anything like as much revenue been received from paid patients as during the last administration. Patients have come from adjoining counties, which is a noteworthy compliment to this county.

Furthermore, it must be remembered that in the past year substantial improvements have been made at the hospital. An operating room has been fitted up and equipped at an ex-

pense of over \$200. The building has been repainted, and improved in other ways, calling for considerable outlay for material, although the work was done by the inmates and the superintendent. There was no expenditure corresponding to this in 1900.

We have said enough to convince any fair-minded man that it was a blunder to think of comparing the record of the two periods, with the idea that the Lemoin administration when fairly presented would show up to a disadvantage. It stands in every respect as the brightest era in hospital management in Amador county. In conclusion we may cite the fact that for December 1900, the last month of the democratic regime, the bill for clothing reached the low ebb of \$16.27; while in January, the first month in the Barrett term the cost for clothing, bedding, rose to \$78.61; clearly showing that the institution had been permitted to run down in this regard.

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### SIRES AND SONS.

Zachary Taylor never cast a vote not held civil office until elected president. Charles W. Morse is credited with saying that if he had to choose between spending fifteen years in France and fifteen in jail he would prefer jail. In charge for a bill James E. Mead of Middletown, Conn., received a cent on which he had stamped his initials forty-five years before, when a boy and living in Brooklyn.

Jasper Thompson, a jeweler of Vermillion county, Ind., has the only paw paw orchard in the United States. From his thirty-five bushes he gets annually some thirty bushels of the fruit.

Speaker Cannon will attend the opening exercises of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition on June 1 next. His was the first acceptance of an invitation by any member of the national government.

Frank H. Percy of Bath, Me., has recently added to his collection of antiquities a mirror more than a hundred years old. The back board is in a single piece, twenty inches across, such as is not often seen.

A striking exception to the theory of rotation in office was shown when at a recent meeting of the Free Baptist society of Latonia, N. H., John F. Merrill was elected secretary-treasurer for the fifty-second time.

General William Booth, commander in chief of the Salvation Army, has been operated on for cataract, and the doctors are hopeful that he will completely recover his sight. The general declined the use of an anæsthetic, and cocaine only was employed.

### Church and Clergy.

The pulpit at North Sullivan, Me., this winter is regularly occupied by Norman L. R. Knight, a youth not yet eighteen years old.

On the spot where the first white settlers of Seattle first set foot, Alki Point, has been built the South Alki Congregational church.

After fifty-seven years of continuous service in one (Presbyterian) parish Rev. William Waith of Lancaster, N. Y., is now a pastor emeritus.

F. L. Marston, who is known in England as the Staffordshire Spurgeon and is only nineteen years of age, is one of the most successful Baptist evangelists of that country.

The Protestant Episcopal diocese of New York has fixed the minimum salary of its married clergy at \$1,200 a year and house rent and of its unmarried clergy at \$1,000 and house rent.

### The Royal Box.

Pi Yu is the name of the infant Chinese emperor.

King Haakon has headed the public subscription in Norway for Captain Amundsen's polar expedition with a donation of \$5,000.

Princess Victoria Louise, only daughter of Emperor William of Germany, recently celebrated her sixteenth birthday. She is a very clever girl and is quite grown up, having the airs of a grand dame.

King Charles of Roumania is extremely popular with his subjects. Like the late king of Denmark, he is a king without pretensions, and nothing delights him more than to mix freely with his people.

### Pen and Brush.

Helen Kathryn Sharpe of Indianapolis is an authoress at the age of twelve. Winston Churchill, the author, is a graduate of the Naval academy at Annapolis.

A memorial is projected for Gainsborough, the famous English painter, at his birthplace, Sudbury, in Suffolk.

George Elliot received \$40,000 for "Middlemarch." This is believed to be the highest price ever paid to a woman for a single work.

Kenyon Cox, the painter, is also an accomplished writer. He is a son of General Jacob D. Cox, secretary of interior in President Grant's first cabinet.

### English Etchings.

The first English laws against counterfeiting were issued in 1108 by Henry I.

About 700,000 of the dwellings in England are either insanitary or overcrowded.

The house of lords contains 608 members, of whom 483 are hereditary, the remaining 125 being nonhereditary.

In the last 200 years no English sovereign has exercised the privilege of vetoing a measure passed by parliament.

### Sporting Notes.

Pacific coast teams are playing polo. Cleveland, O., has an eight club indoor baseball league.

Milwaukee will bid for the 1910 A B C bowling tournament.

Marquette eleven wants to play Michigan at Milwaukee next fall.

Herman Long, the old time shortstop of the Boston Nationals, is to be manager of the Alexandria (Va.) team in the new league.

### Proverbs.

Vows made in storm are forgotten in calms.—English Proverb.

Laziness begins in cobwebs and ends in iron chains.—Italian Proverb.

A day that is not thine own do not reckon it as of thy life.—Arabian Proverb.

To know a man borrow the ear of the blind and the eye of the deaf.—Spanish Proverb.

## OFFICIAL MAP

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## Amador County

veys by D. C. CARLTON, showing township and school district boundaries, ownership of all lands according to assessment roll of 1904, mineral claims, canals, location of all school-houses; also a townsite map of principal towns, namely Jackson, Sutter Creek, Ione, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth and Volcano.

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## Amador County Descriptive Article

Amador county comprises an area of 548 square miles. It lies on the western slope of Sierra Nevada mountains, and embraces within its territory all the diversity of valley foothill, and high mountainous lands.

**Climate.**—The climate of the populous portions of the county is as genial and healthful as can be found anywhere in California. As climate is one of the most valuable assets of this favored state in attracting population, Amador stands second to no county in this regard. It should, and no doubt will in time, when its climatic advantages are more thoroughly understood and appreciated, become a health resort not only for those in less favored states, but for the residents of other parts of California. The temperature alone the central portion rarely falls below 30 degrees above zero in winter, and as rarely rises to 100 degrees in the summer. Snow seldom falls in the settled districts, and never remains on the ground for more than a few hours. Of course, in the high mountain regions of eastern Amador the snowfall is very heavy—which is characteristic of the entire Sierra Nevada range. The summer season is always accompanied with cool nights; permitting of sound, refreshing slumber. Fogs are rare, cyclones are unknown, thunderstorms are infrequent.

**Gold Mining.**—The county, although rich in other sources of wealth, comparatively untouched, is noted principally for her quartz mines. The deepest gold mines in America are located here. The Kennedy mine is now taking gold in liberal quantities from quartz extracted from a depth of over 3000 feet below the surface, with every indication that the pay-ore extends to a much greater depth. Since the discovery of gold, the county has contributed fully \$100,000,000 to the world's supply of the precious metal. The mines are still yielding at the rate of about two million dollars annually. Nearly all of this wealth is produced by eight or ten mines operating on what is called the "mother lode," stretching clear across the county in a north-easterly direction a distance of twenty miles. The mines aggregate between 400 and 500 stamps, and furnish employment for over 1000 miners. This industry is still in its infancy. The unexplored territory, even along the main gold belt, is far in excess of the ground that has actually been worked or prospected. The county offers to-day one of the most inviting fields to be found anywhere in the world for the investment of capital in the fascinating business of gold mining, not alone along the mother lode, but also in the almost untouched mineralized country of the east belt, some ten or twelve miles from the main lode.

Besides gold, we have copper, deposits of pottery, coal, marble, slate, limestone, granite, and soapstone or talc—all undeveloped.

**Agricultural Capabilities.**—The agricultural possibilities equal, if not exceed, the mineral riches. The valley lands will produce anything that can be grown in the most favored sections. In the foothill lands all kinds of deciduous fruits thrive; also all kinds of vegetable are raised where irrigation is practicable along the numerous water courses. Further up in the mountains, at an altitude of 2000 to 2500 feet, the soil is admirably adapted for apples and potatoes. A ready market for many times the quantity now raised of these commodities can be found in the various mining towns.

Grape culture and winemaking are becoming important industries, both the grapes and wine commanding a better price than the product of the lowland.

Lands cheap compared with other California lands. Improved farms may be secured for one-fourth the price current in some places. Unimproved lands can be had from \$5 to \$10 per acre. It does not require a fortune to buy a small ranch. There is room for a large addition to our agricultural population. Vast tracts now devoted to cattle ranges might be made the homes of hundreds of prosperous farmers.

Amador has a population of less than 12000. Three fourths of this is concentrated in a strip of three miles above and below the mineral belt.

Jackson, the county seat, has about 2500 inhabitants, and is an incorporated city of the sixth class. Other towns are Sutter Creek, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth, Volcano, Pine Grove and Oleta. Ione City is the metropolis of the valley section, a thriving town of 1000 inhabitants.

The community is law abiding. Educational facilities are excellent. A schoolhouse is within easy reach of nearly every family. There is one high school, located at Ione.

The assessment roll for 1907 is \$5.-\$800,793, and the tax rate for both state and county purposes \$2 on the \$100.

The Southern Pacific has a branch railroad running to Ione. From this point the Ione and Eastern railroad extends 14 miles further to the mining section.

The various religious denominations and fraternal organizations are well represented.

The power plant of the Standard Electric Co.—one of the largest in the world—is located four miles from Jackson.

## Woman's World

### MARIA MONTESSORI.

Teaches the Children of Rome to Read and Write With Playthings.

One of the most interesting among the many intellectual Italian women of the present day is Maria Montessori, who holds an appointment as lecturer in the University of Rome. Her rare gifts of personality and eloquence make her a fascinating speaker and lecturer.

But she is no less widely known for her philanthropic work among the poor of Rome, especially for her original method of teaching children to read and write by ingenious playthings. Instead of by the usual laborious methods. This system she has introduced in the Casa dei Bambini (the children's house), the quarters especially set apart for children in the model dwellings of the poor. Here the children have their home. They play and learn almost unconsciously at the same time



MARIA MONTESSORI.

the various rudiments of knowledge. Wonderful is the way in which the art of writing comes to them under Signora Montessori's system, almost as the art of walking comes. Milan, the "intellectual capital" of Italy, has just started a children's house on the same lines in the fine new workmen's dwellings built under the auspices of the Umanitaria. The ideas of Signora Montessori have been carried out here under her own genial supervision, and the Casa dei Bambini promises to be a happy place for the little ones.

### A Need of Business Women.

"My earnings amount to \$30 a week, and I have named my trade visiting housekeeper to business women," said a young New York widow who has the support and education of four small children to look out for. "It was a question of putting my children in an institution or finding some way by which I could earn a living at home."

"There are several business women who live in the same uptown flat house with me. None of them feels that she is able to keep a regular servant, and the cleaning woman who came to them weekly never did what they wanted."

"They were always envying my neat rooms. One day the thought struck me, and I offered to do their weekly cleaning and mending. My charges were \$2 a week for cleaning and 50 cents for mending. To the cleaning woman who always accompanies me I pay \$1 a day, besides giving her three meals."

"This woman comes in at 8 a. m. and after eating her breakfast helps me to get the children off to school. Then we set my own little flat to rights. After this is properly accomplished we begin the real work of the day, making the flats of my patrons shine like new."

"While my woman scrubs, cleans, airs and makes the beds I mend and prepare the clothes, house linen and personal apparel for the laundry. I see that the curtains are kept fresh and clean, that the china and glass are washed and polished. I clean the silver and knives and do the thousand and one little things necessary to make a flat look homelike."

"On Monday we do the four flats which are in the same house with me. On other days we can only do two a day, because they are some distance away. Of course, if I didn't have to be back at home in the middle of the day to give my children their lunch and make sure that all was going well with them I might take several more flats. It is my children who are behind all this work, and my first thought must always be for them."

### The Luncheon Club.

Why not have a luncheon club? It is not an especially new idea, but it is a good one, and the wonder is that there are not more of them in existence. The principal object of a luncheon club is obviously enough the serving of luncheon. This may be with a purely social end in view, but it isn't half so entertaining this way as when a certain educational motive is included in the reasons for the club's existence. If the club exists for the purpose of trying new dishes and experimenting in cookery it is not only more fun, but decidedly more instructive as well, and in such a club the members take turns in entertaining the other

members at luncheon, and each one makes an effort to serve as many new dishes as possible.

To be ideal such a club should be a neighborhood affair, so that if large two of the members could entertain together, thus making the task of serving luncheon to so many less burdensome.

A club which does not enforce strict rules limiting its menu to a certain number of courses will be almost sure to prove a failure, as there are few women who can withstand the temptation to strive to outdo their sisters in matters of their kitchen, and without such limiting rules a club of this kind will soon become a burden. One such club has an ironclad rule that salad and dessert shall not be served at the same meal.

The charm of a club where new dishes are studied and cooking problems discussed is its informality. The women who belong to it come together with a common end in view, that of learning something. Besides this, there is always the added value which comes from meeting with other women and exchanging views and experiences. It keeps the busy housewife from getting into a rut in her housework, and it takes away a little of the element of drudgery from the round of household tasks. If two members entertain together as many as ten may belong to such a club, but if one hostess entertains alone the club should not number more than six.

If there isn't a luncheon club in our neighborhood, why not start one? Why not manage to discover an entertaining aspect to the old tiresome question of "What shall we have to eat?"

### Cleaning the Sewing Machine.

Women who do not thoroughly understand the sewing machine often blame the manufacturer when the fault of stiff running can be traced to not keeping the machine clean.

Most persons think that liberal doses of oil are all that is necessary. Too much oiling is injurious, and oil where there has not been careful dusting is worse than none at all.

It is not enough to give a surface dusting. The cracks and crevices must be kept clean. This cannot be done with a cloth. Instead use a coarse silk thread to draw back and forth through cracks to get out fine dirt that cannot otherwise be removed.

The work of cleaning a machine is lessened if a small bellows is kept in one of the drawers and the fine lint, threads and ravelings are blown out of the crevices. This should be done every day that the machine is in use.

Care should also be taken that pins and needles do not slip into the shuttle part of the machine, as often they clog it and the cause cannot be discovered for some time.

It is a mistake to use a cheap oil, as it cakes and makes the parts sticky.

Never let the machine stand uncovered when not in use and guard carefully from dampness.

Rubbing the running strap occasionally with a little vaseline or oil will make the leather wear longer.

### First Woman Rhodes Scholar.

The first woman Rhodes scholar has arrived in London in connection with the scheme for founding scholarships for women on the lines of the scholarships for men founded by Cecil Rhodes.

The scheme was formulated in 1905 by Mme. Thayer, then chairman of the education committee of the Society of American Women in London, who is devoting her life to carrying out its development.

Miss Clara Howard, the scholar in question, who was entered for a year of postgraduate study at Girton, is from Columbia university, and her scholarship was raised by the Society of American Women in London, the nucleus being subscribed by the education committee during Mme. Thayer's chairmanship.

Miss Howard arrives in America with a brilliant record. The woman Rhodes scholars will in future be chosen by competitive examinations. There was hardly time for this, however, in this case, and thus Miss Howard was chosen on the recommendation of Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, the wife of the American ambassador in London, and of Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university.

### One Way to Appear Young.

A wise young woman gives as her reason for having learned the vertical writing: "This form of writing has been used for but a few years in some schools. When I have occasion to write to people they are very apt to conclude from my handwriting that I have been out of school but a few years, and accordingly I will be considered a real young woman."

"This does not count for so much at present, for I am only twenty-three years, but it may count a great deal in getting me a start in the friendship of a man later. I will not, of course, lie about my age, but I will get a more favorable start."

### Song For Suffragette Sisters.

Mrs. L. B. Bishop of the Chicago Beach hotel has offered a prize of a hundred dollars for the best words for a woman suffrage song, to be sung to the tune of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." The competition is open to both men and women and is international.

The members of the D. A. R. propose to give some sort of memorial that will mark the old Santa Fe trail. At their last convention they approved a plan presented by Miss Elizabeth Gentry of Kansas City to petition the state legislature for an appropriation to put up milestones to mark the old trail in Missouri.

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## BIBLE STUDY CONTEST.

### Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School

Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott for the International Newspaper Bible Study Club.

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April 25, 1909.

The Gospel in Antioch.—Acts ix:19-30; xii:25.

Golden Text.—The disciples were called Christians first in Antioch. Acts ix:26.

Verses 19-20.—Who were they that were "scattered abroad?"

Had these men any authority from the church to preach? (See Acts viii:1.)

Is it the duty of every Christian to preach Christ, whether or not he has been appointed by the church to do so?

Is it possible to enjoy the fullness of God's love, and never say a word about it? Are good people liable to be narrow in their views.

Are persecutions and all sorts of trouble, always helpful to the children of God.

Some of these disciples seem to have been narrow, and preached to Jews only; others being broader, preached to the Greeks also, what made the difference in these men.

Which is the greater power to broaden our views, and make us love everybody; our environment, or sinking deeper and rising higher in the love of God.

Verse 12.—Whether a man is narrow or broad, if he only preaches Jesus, will God use him to extend his kingdom.

Are any efforts to extend the kingdom of God ever in vain.

Verse 22.—Did the news that Antioch had received the word of God give the church at Jerusalem joy or sorrow.

What news is the most joyous either to an individual Christian, or to a church.

What was the purpose of sending Barnabas.

Verses 23-24.—What sort of a man was Barnabas.

Is it necessary, or not, to be filled with the Holy Ghost, in order to make converts, or to comfort the children of God, and are these results always attained in the ministry of a man filled with the Holy Ghost. This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.

Do we exhort one another as much as we should, to "cleave unto the Lord."

Are half-hearted people well pleasing to God.

Verses 25-26.—Why did Barnabas start off to Tarsus to seek Saul.

Does it frequently happen that two holy men can do much more together, than they could do working apart.

Where were the disciples of Jesus first called Christians.

What had Christ's followers been called previous to being called Christians.

Verses 27-28.—Is the gift of prophecy, that is telling future events, given to any person to-day.

Verses 29-30.—Should the church of Christ to-day be a practical brotherhood, caring for one another, and helping each other financially, and in every other way, as the need may be.

Should not the church be doing for its members the work now being done by fraternal societies.

Chapter xii:25.—Barnabas and Saul took the contributions from Antioch up to Jerusalem to relieve the need there, and then returned; was it just as noble work as if they had been up there preaching.

Lesson for Sunday, May 2nd, 1909. Paul's First Missionary Journey—Cyprus. Acts xiii:1-12.

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### Along the Canal

The Panama Canal commissary sells between \$75,000 and \$80,000 worth of clothing every month to canal employees. It runs thirteen stores along the line of the canal. It sells between \$25,000 and \$30,000 worth of tobacco every month.

### Kongo Natives and Their Dead.

"In the matter of preserving bodies for burial Kongs, after the usual binding in cloth, keep them for two or three months in their houses, where a fire is kept burning, but in Zombo they are suspended on two forked sticks in a dugout vault in the ground, which is covered over with palm branches and earth," says a missionary. "Sometimes the body is placed under a specially built grass roof in the open. This is not considered a burial, and some years ago they brought out for a big funeral feast and dance the body of an important chief that had thus been preserved for over twenty years. In other districts the dead are thrown away into a river or into the bush to be devoured by jackals and vultures."

### Zoology and Flags.

Zoology figures very largely on the flags of different nations. On the British royal standard is the lion. It was Richard Coeur de Lion, by the way, who altered the device from leopards to lions on the king's standard. The eagle appears on the standards of both Russia and Germany and both the lion and the eagle on that of Spain. Bulgaria has a lion, China a dragon and Mexico a bird quarrelling with a snake. Taken together with the animals that appear on nations' arms, the royal unicorn and Australian emu and kangaroo, a fairly comprehensive collection could be made from national emblems.

### Going Too Far.

At a school exhibition a juvenile elocutionist got up to recite the first piece of his life. He was ambitious. He wished to make a great success of his piece, and he had been told by his teacher that the secret of elocution was the gesture—for every phrase its fitting gesture. The opening line of the boy's selection was, "The comet lifts its tail of fire." The overzealous boy, to fit its proper gesture to this line, lifted up the tail of his coat and held it out in a horizontal position.



FROM OUR  
CORRESPONDENTS

AUKUM.

April 16—As Chas. S. Bell was going to Carbondale on Wednesday last, driving a mare hitched to a buggy, and while talking to Henry White, Amos Ball, Frank Vanderpool and a Mr. Weybright, he heard a rumbling chucking sound down the road. Divining the cause he sprang out of his buggy, for he knew it was an automobile. It was not long in coming to view. It was a red motor, driven by its owner Ed. Dalton, the young millionaire of Cosumnes. As it approached Charles, knowing the disposition of the mare, signaled Dalton to stop, but from some cause he kept coming. Mr. Weybright seeing the mare was going to make an effort to get away took hold of her too, but in spite of the effort of both men, the mare reared and plunged tearing herself from the buggy, and breaking the harness all to pieces. After tearing herself loose from the rig she was held until after the automobile passed. If a woman and children had been in the buggy alone, there would have been a bloody tale to have told.

The automobile is a luxury for the rich man, it is the terror of the road for teamsters and especially women or children caught on the road unexpectedly. There ought to be a law taxing automobiles to such an extent as to furnish a special fund for the education of horses driven in light rigs until they become accustomed to it or be forced to provide themselves special roads. For, as it is, it means bloodshed some where and to those that are powerless to help themselves—to our wives and children. A woman only a few miles away from here was met by an automobile which frightened her horse greatly, but she pluckily kept her seat and finally got passed. The chauffeur asked her why she did not run through a gate in the field close by. She replied, "We pay taxes to keep our roads up, you men come up here without paying taxes and endanger our lives. Why didn't you go out to one side and stop?" He made no reply. There is a speciality in the business somewhere either light rigs have to leave the road or face the situation and endanger themselves. Then who has the right of speciality, the automobiles that pay no taxes over the roads on which they run or the people of a community that keep them up? Charlie Atkinson said it was all he could do to keep his four horses and mules from doing him damage. I repeat there ought to be a large tax upon automobiles for a fund of education for horses in order to save smash ups and save lives, the loss of which would be caused by the motor car of luxury.

Giddy Dick.

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OLETA.

April 14—S. Robinson was in town last Sunday on business.

Geo. Yager and wife of Ione, were in town on a visit to Mrs. Wilson last week.

Mrs. Maggie Valmer of Plymouth, has moved to Oleta, and at present is occupying the Henry Neff house.

Mrs. L. Smith has gone to Stockton on a visit of two weeks.

Mr. Hesh came up last week on a visit to his wife and little daughter, who is in charge of the store, as her father, Mr. Schroeder, is not able to be about at all.

Alfred Gilbert has bought out the saloon formerly run by B. Huey.

Mrs. Susie Wilson, has gone to Ione for a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Yager.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lesley were visitors at Oleta a few days of last week.

Chas. Bloom is now busy doing carpenter work for the Pigeon Brothers.

**Swept Over Niagara**

This terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings, growing ripples and faster current. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—dropsy, diabetes or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see backache fly and all your best feelings return. "After long suffering from weak kidneys and lame back, one \$1.00 bottle wholly cured me," writes J. R. Bauk-enship, of Belk, Tenn. Only 50c at Spagnoli's Drug Store.

IONE.

April 22—Mrs. John Tonhey of San Francisco has been in Ione this week looking after her business interests.

W. D. Amick was a passenger on the down train Thursday.

The business men of Ione have certainly caught the improving spirit by the looks of the remodeling, which have been going on for the past few weeks. Messrs. Dillian and Davis have had their property repaired and painted, and the Commercial is also wearing a new coat of paint, which greatly adds to its appearance.

Miss Alice E. Gartlin went to Stockton Thursday for several days' visit.

Bishop Grace was in Ione Tuesday and confirmed a large class in the Catholic church. In the evening he returned to Jackson.

Jess Clifton, Gus Cattel and Arthur Clifton made a business trip to Stockton Monday, returning Tuesday.

The game between the Ione and Placerville boys last Saturday resulted in a victory for the home team, the score being 2 to 3 in their favor.

Miss Lottie Miller, who is employed at the National hotel in Jackson, visited relatives and friends here last Monday.

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SUTTER CREEK.

April 22—Mrs. J. King of the Fremont mine, was visiting friends and relatives in Sutter this week.

W. E. Downs went to San Francisco Tuesday on business interests.

Fred Werner is visiting in San Francisco this week.

Fred Setzer of Lodi, came up Wednesday evening, and is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Florence Shealar.

Fred is also a member of Bowers' Lodi orchestra.

Mrs. Marie Longtine departed Monday morning, for an extended visit with relatives in Elk Grove and Oakland.

Miss Annie Cassella left Wednesday enroute to Sacramento. Her friends are smiling with anticipation of reports to come later.

Peter Dabovich went to San Francisco Tuesday.

Miss Gladys McKenny is home from Sacramento, to spend a short vacation with her parents.

Mrs. A. Pendrey of San Francisco, arrived here Monday, called hither on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. John Richards.

Mrs. Frank Leon arrived here Friday evening from Winthrop, Shasta county, departing the following day for Placerville, to visit her mother.

Mrs. Minnie Eggleston returned Friday evening from an extended visit with her son and family in Randsburg.

Mrs. Howard Higgins came up from Stockton Saturday evening, and is the guest of Mrs. Elmer Tanner. Mrs. Higgins will leave Saturday for Tuolumne county to join her husband.

Mrs. Kate Walkmeister is visiting friends in Stockton.

Mrs. C. Sorocco and daughter, Miss Lena Sorocco, were in Amador City the first of the week, visiting Mrs. Sorocco's sister, Mrs. B. White, who has been seriously ill. Sutterite.

You should not delay under any circumstances in cases of kidney and bladder trouble. You should take something promptly that you know is reliable, something like DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They are unequalled for weak back, backache, inflammation of the bladder, rheumatic pains, etc. When you ask for DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills, be sure you get them. They are Antiseptic. Accept no substitute; insist upon getting the right kind. Sold by City Pharmacy, F. W. Risher, Prop.

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Saturday, May 1st

Committee of Arrangements—D. W. Stewart, A. L. Prouty and A. C. Miner.  
Marshal - - - C. P. Vicini,  
President - - - Lawrence Burke,  
Orator - - - Hon. P. V. Wood.  
Vocal music by Gebhart and Evans.  
Music by Tokay Band of Lodi.

**AMUSEMENTS.**

Girls' Basket Ball—Lodi and Ione High Schools.  
Baseball—Jackson vs. Wallace.  
Horse races, Bicycle races, Broncho races, etc.  
Grand Ball at Pavilion in Evening. Tickets \$1.50. Spectators 25c.

Ledger Roll of Honor.

The following sums have been received as subscriptions to the Ledger during the past month. This acknowledgment is equal to a receipt for the sums named. If any have paid whose names do not appear on this list, they will oblige by promptly notifying this office:

J. P. Holtz \$15 00	E. V. Zumbiel \$2 00
Mrs. Thompson 3 50	M. Steffani 2 00
Mrs. Armstrong 2 00	W. H. Sharp 1 00
Geo. Allen 5 00	Jos. Gusto 2 50
Mrs. Barnhart 2 00	A. J. Carley 5 00
J. G. Jensen 2 50	Chas. Corin 2 00
L. Marre 2 00	S. Dabovich 1 00
L. G. Norris 4 00	A. Gianinni 2 00
Chas. Gillis 2 00	L. F. Pitt 3 50
W. S. Cooledge 3 25	G. W. Shepherd 2 00
J. N. Hinkley 3 15	Jas. Hamilton 2 00
Jas. Bodinnar 5 00	Mrs. Muzzey 2 00
E. H. Moore 5 50	P. Brunold 2 50
D. Hutchinson 2 00	Jas. Harris 2 00
W. F. Detert 2 00	Mrs. A. Troyan 2 00
Mrs. Abramofsky 2 00	

Church Notes.

Order of services at the Methodist Episcopal church as follows: Sunday school at 2 p. m., preaching services every Sunday to commence at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

**EPISCOPAL.**

Regular services will be held in St. Augustine's Episcopal church as follows:

11 a. m.—First and third Sunday in each month.

7:30 p. m.—Second and fourth Sunday in each month.

**FOR RENT.**—The store premises now occupied by the Red Front, on Main street, Jackson, opposite the Globe hotel. For particulars apply to George Weller, Jackson.

MARRIED.

**MURPHY-LUTTRELL.**—In Pine Grove, April 14, 1909, by Rev. Wilson Morley, Wilbur L. Murphy of Volcano, to Miss Mayme Luttrell of Pine Grove.

DIED

**LEPETICH.**—At Jackson Gate, April 13, 1909, Spiro Lepetich, a native of Austria, aged 69 years.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Elizabeth Bell Upton, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Bell Upton, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at the law office of Wm. J. McGee, Court street, Jackson, Amador county, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said Amador county.

Dated, April 22, 1909.

W. F. DETERT,  
Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Bell Upton, deceased. 5t

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Agostino Biasotti, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Agostino Biasotti, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at the law office of Wm. G. Snyder, at Jackson, Amador county, Calif., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said Amador county.

Dated, April 13, 1909.

H. E. POTTER,  
Administrator of the estate of said deceased.  
Wm. G. Snyder, attorney for administrator.

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## CLEMENTS PICNIC.

Grand Joint Picnic of Amador, Calaveras and San Joaquin counties, at Clements, under auspices of Stockton Athletic Association.

**FRIDAY, MAY 7th, 1909**

Executive Committee—W. C. Neumiller, chairman, T. P. Bonney, J. D. Fish.

Director General of the Day—Chester A. McIntyre.

Dr. E. E. Endicott representing Amador county.

Special Rates and Excursions from all Points.

### PROGRAM.

9.30 a. m.—Junior Athletic Tournament of the County Grammar Grade Schools.

10.00 a. m.—Grand Band Concert, Amador, Calaveras and San Joaquin county Brass Bands.

12.00 m.—Big Barbecue and Lunch, served by the matrons and ladies of Clements.

1.00 p. m.—Baseball Games, Dancing at the Pavilion.

1.30 p. m.—Five Mile Marathon Race, One Mile Race, 220 yard Race, 100 yard Dash, High Jump, Broad Jump, Hammer Throw and Shot Put.

2.0 p. m.—Rock Drilling Contest for State Championship. Entries received from all over the State.

2.30 p. m.—Champion Wrestling of the Pacific Coast; Professor A. McIntyre of the Stockton Athletic Club and Amiel Tanner of the Reliance Club of Oakland, for a side bet of \$500.

Amateur Wrestling Contest, champion class, 125 pounds, 135 pounds, 145 pounds, 158 pounds, and Heavy Weights.

4.00 p. m.—Fat Man's Race, Egg Race, Wheelbarrow Race, Conclusion of the day's program, Grand Band Concert.

8.00 p. m.—Dancing in the Clements Hall. Midnight Supper served.

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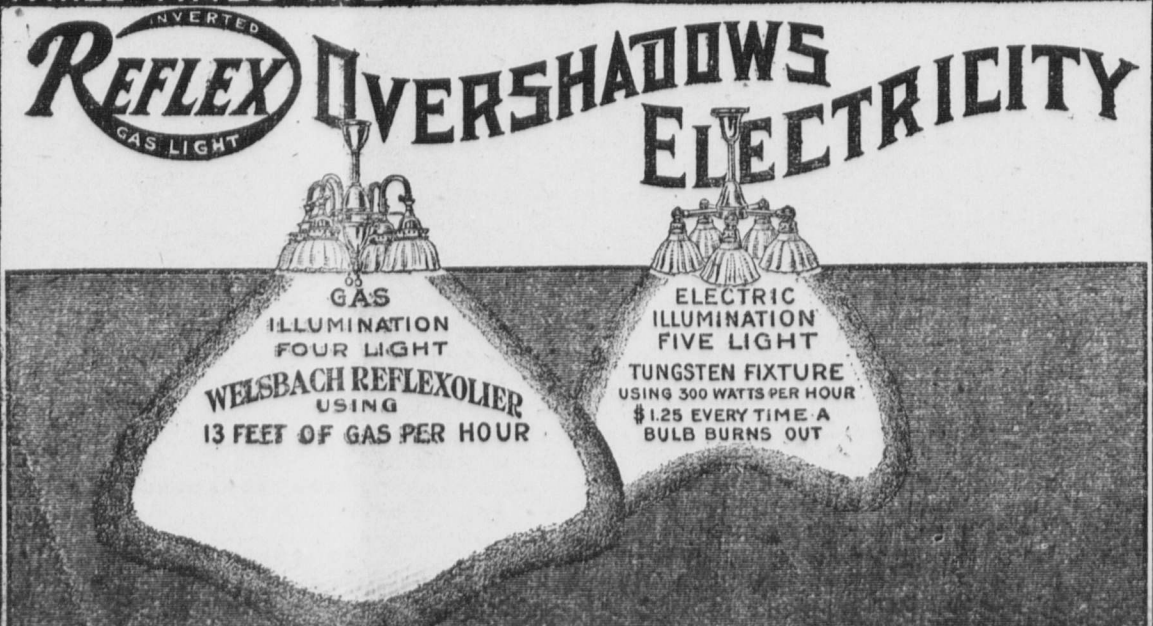
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JACKSON, CAL. .... APRIL 23, 1909

### TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL

This table gives the highest and lowest temperature in Jackson for each day, together with the rainfall, as recorded by self-registering instruments kept at the Ledger office.

Date.	Temp L. H.	Rainfall	Date.	Temp L. H.	Rainfall
Apr. 1, 1909	40 72	.....	17	46 71	.....
2	40 77	.....	18	48 68	.....
3	49 70	.....	19	44 65 0.08	.....
4	35 65	.....	20	38 76	.....
5	35 64	.....	21	36 77	.....
6	39 74	.....	22	39 74	.....
7	36 73	.....	23	40	.....
8	40 78	.....	24	40	.....
9	42 80	.....	25	40	.....
10	43 81	.....	26	40	.....
11	46 89	.....	27	40	.....
12	38 75	.....	28	40	.....
13	40 87	.....	29	40	.....
14	43 81	.....	30	40	.....
15	46 83	.....	31	40	.....
16	46 79	.....			.....

Total rainfall for season to date .34 27 inches  
To corresponding period last season 14.39 "

### LOCAL NEWS

J. F. Wilson, Dentist. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Phone—Office, black 444; residence, black 394; Jackson.

Mr and Mrs Alex Eudey returned Sunday evening from a week's visit to San Francisco.

Next Monday April 26, is the last day for the payment of state and county taxes without incurring liability for the delinquent penalty. After 6 o'clock on that day a penalty of five per cent will be collected. Property owners should therefore see to it that they settle with the tax collector on or before that time.

A report was current in Jackson that Gus. Waltenspiel, formerly a druggist at Spagnoli's drug store for many years, but now living at Berkeley, had suffered another attack of paralysis. This we are pleased to state is untrue. He was seized with a dizzy or fainting spell while sitting on the wall of his lot, and fell forward. He recovered consciousness almost immediately, and was not injured in any way.

Rent will be charged on idle meters, and after 60 days they will be removed without notice. B. E. Letang.

Amile Roussey, who was stricken with apoplexy while practicing on the baseball ground last week, died in the county hospital on Saturday morning. He rallied from the attack for a brief space, but Friday night he failed rapidly, and passed away early Saturday morning. The body was shipped to San Francisco Monday, to his mother, who lives in that city. He was about 40 years of age.

Mrs Berryman left Sunday morning for Pasadena, on a visit to her daughter who lives in that city.

Chris Marella came up Saturday from San Francisco on a short visit to his family. He returned to the city Tuesday. The Salavonian newspaper in which he is interested has been incorporated. A linotype machine has been added to the plant, with other improvements.

FOR SALE—Good nine room house, seven acres of land, barn, shops, wood house, engine house, etc.—Oleta. Inquire at Ledger office.

E. V. Zumbiel returned Sunday, after a brief visit to San Francisco.

The stray advertisement running in the Ledger quickly found the owner of the animal advertised. John Yager recognizes the brand, and claimed the stray. There is nothing like putting in a small ad if you have anything to sell, or want to find an owner for anything.

Dr. Gustaf, the clairvoyant medium, left Jackson Tuesday, after a stay of a couple of weeks in this city.

J. H. Lapghorst returned Friday from a short business trip to San Francisco.

The two youngest daughters of Mrs M. Newman, Loretta and Elleen, left Tuesday morning for San Francisco, under the care of Chris Marella, who returned to his business in the city on that day. Mrs Newman expects to leave for the city in a few days to remain permanently.

Dr. J. D. Fogarty, dentist, Jackson. Office in Kay's building, Main street. Hours from 9 a. m. till 5 p. m. Telephone, black 363.

F. W. Parker, night watchman, lost his faithful dog last week, by the poison route. The dog was his constant companion when on duty. He was serviceable in many ways, as a protector, and also as a forerunner. The watchman would send him ahead into any dark alley, as a precautionary step to feel the way, as the dog was a detective of suspicious characters, and never failed by his actions to inform the watchman of danger. The dog may have got the dose accidentally, most likely it was intended not to get him out of the way. He died in front of the Garibaldi saloon. The watchman will find it hard to replace him.

Miss Josie Mason came up from San Francisco Saturday on a visit to her father, J. D. Mason.

Judge Wood went to Contra Costa Saturday for the purpose of arranging to have his household furniture, etc., shipped from his former home in Alamo to this county, into the residence formerly occupied by Judge Rust, which he has purchased for a home.

Mrs Rutherford of Sacramento, was a passenger on the automobile stage on the up trip Monday evening. She is visiting her father, J. D. Mason, for a few days.

Dr. Endicott was called to Valley Springs Sunday to treat a case of broken limb of an eight year old boy named William Willis. The boy fell from a tree he was trying to climb and fractured his arm.

Eileen Newman was tendered a farewell party at the residence of J. H. Laughton on Saturday afternoon by her classmate Jimmy Laughton, on the occasion of leaving for San Francisco. About twelve of her classmates in the primary school attended and enjoyed themselves hugely with games and the refreshments provided.

Miss Zoie Sanborn, granddaughter of J. D. Mason is visiting in Jackson for a few days. She came up from Sacramento with her mother, Mrs Nellie Rutherford on Monday evening.

Mr and Mrs D. Crigler and family left Thursday for a visit to relatives in Stockton and Sutter Creek.—Tuolumne Independent.

Mr and Mrs James Riley arrived in Sonora this week from Amador Co., on a visit.—Tuolumne Independent.

As John Barton, last Monday evening was leading a horse to a point across Jackson creek, in an effort to mount a stone wall, he fell striking the back of his head against a sharp rock, cutting a severe gash through the scalp. He lay stunned for some fifteen minutes. Thereafter, he managed to get home without help. The wound bled considerably. Dr. Gall was called and dressed his wounds. He is getting along nicely, although still having a bandage around his head.

A marriage license was issued Wednesday authorizing the wedding of Fred W. Grisback and Clara E. Deand.

V. Dalami, of Giovanni's store, is laid up with inflammation of the right knee. He has been troubled with this complaint for a long time. He is thinking of going to the city shortly. He is being treated by Dr. Sprague.

A miner named V. Antoinetti, employed in the Kennedy, was struck in the hip by a piece of rock, inflicting a gash that required several stitches to close.

Superintendent Rainsford of the Argonaut, returned Wednesday evening from a short visit to San Francisco.

Mr and Mrs Ritter, and the latter's mother and sister, have moved into that portion of the Folger residence on Peak hill, recently vacated by Mr and Mrs Davenport.

The automobile stage, after making the first down trip to Sacramento, failed to return Friday evening. All sorts of reports were floated as to the meaning of the stoppage. A breakdown was the explanation of some. Others would have it that the motor was being fixed up with a boot, so as to be able to carry a reasonable quantity of baggage, and that a larger vehicle was to be put on the road.

J. R. Jenkins, the well-known piano tuner, will be in Jackson for the next few days. Orders may be left at McGary's store.

Miss Ray Skelly left yesterday morning for San Francisco.

The automobile stage failed to connect again Wednesday. It is reported that the line is to be abandoned, as it was evident that with one stage a daily trip each way could not be made.

John Drendel early this week sent his brother-in-law, Jones, over to Forest Home to bring home a colt 7, months old, that had been pasturing there. He tied the colt behind the cart, and started homeward in that fashion. The animal trotted behind in good shape, until near the Central House, when it suddenly reared up, and fell striking on its head on a rock in the road, and died in a few minutes thereafter. No doubt its neck was broken by the fall. It was a large and valuable colt.

The Argonaut has recently installed a telephone system connecting the underground workings with the surface. It is of much benefit in facilitating the conveyance of messages and orders. It does not do away with bell signals, altogether, but is found very convenient in many ways. The Argonaut and the Bunker Hill are the only mines in the county provided with underground telephones.

The ladies' exchange will be at McGary's store to-morrow, April 24. Mrs E Williams and Mrs A. Wrigglesworth will have charge. Call on them for cakes and other delicacies.

Tomorrow will be a fete day in Sacramento. The attractions will include athletic events, marathon races, airship electric water carnival. Excursion tickets will be issued on the various lines of travel.

Mrs L. Vogeli returned last evening from a two weeks' visit to Sacramento.

Alex Adams of Pine Grove, will leave to-morrow for Tuolumne county. He has taken a contract to get out 6,000 railroad ties, for a road that is being run from the Sierra railroad into the sugar pine country. The contract will take all summer to complete.

Johnny Chinn, youngest son of J. Chinn, has been suffering from an attack of fever for the last three or four days, and confined to bed.

Tickets will be sold at Martell's over the Amador Central railroad for the May-day picnic in Ione at one fare rate for the round trip; tickets good for return on the following day, May 2nd.

A message was received this week that Mrs Jeanette Solinsky, daughter of Frank Peek of Mokelumne Hill and granddaughter of W. P. Peek of this city, is suffering from pneumonia at her home in San Francisco. Her mother has gone to the city to attend her.

John Band, an employe at the Zeila accompanied by his wife, left Monday for a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs Zumbiel left this morning for a week's visit in Sacramento and San Francisco.

Mr and Mrs Fred Lemoin have been offered a position in the Preston School at Ione. They have the matter under consideration.

Word has been received here that Mrs Geo. McKean, who lived in this city for many years, died in Prescott, Arizona, early this week. Death was the result of an attack of erysipelas. The death of her husband was chronicled in these columns last week. Mrs McKean was then ill, and the passing of her husband was unknown to her. She followed him to the grave within a week.

The county clerk of Sacramento on Wednesday issued a license authorizing the marriage of Louis Glukfeld of Jackson, and Miss Helen Joondeph of New York. The groom is clerk in the Red Front Store. The wedding has no doubt taken place before this. The pair will make their home in Jackson.

A slight sprinkle of rain fell Monday morning. It was not sufficient to be of much benefit to vegetation. Rain is badly needed for the sown crops, and native grass. Unless we have a good downpour within the next few days the crops are bound to be short.

Julius Podesta, who was hurt by a fall from an electric pole over a year ago, and who has been crippled ever since, had to go to the city again yesterday morning for further surgical treatment. He was accompanied by his parents.

Children especially like Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup, as it tastes so good as maple sugar. It not only heals irritation and allay inflammation, thereby stopping the cough, but it also moves the bowels gently and in that way drives the cold from the system. It contains no opiates. Sold by City Pharmacy, F W Ruhser, Prop.

### Barn Struck by Lightning.

The large barn at the Six Mile House in Blair's district, the property of Louis and George Kieher, was destroyed by fire last Sunday night about eight o'clock. A large quantity of hay and the farm machinery stored in the building and its sheds were consumed.

There was a thunder storm at the time and it is believed that lightning started the fire as it can be accounted for in no other way. The property destroyed was worth from \$3000 to \$5000. The property was partly insured and perhaps one-third of the loss will thus be recovered. The light from the fire could be seen in Placerville and people came down to the Kieher home from Camino to assist in taking care of other property.

The inmates of the house heard a terrific crash of thunder and saw the vivid lightning. They rushed out and immediately afterward the barn was found to be on fire and burning very rapidly.—El Dorado Republican.

### Surprise Party.

The intimate friends of Mrs M. Newman tendered her a genuine surprise party at her residence on Court street on Friday evening last. The affair was managed by Mrs Depew, and the surprisers gathered on the evening named some thirty strong, well provided with delicacies. They spent a most enjoyable time of several hours. The party was gotten up as a pleasant farewell surprise to Mrs Newman, who will leave in the course of a few days to take up her permanent home in San Francisco, where her husband is engaged in the stable business. Her two daughters left for San Francisco Tuesday morning. Lawrence, who is employed as deputy in the county clerk's office, intends to remain at his post for the present.

### To Expert Books.

J. S. Jack, former county clerk of Calaveras county, came over from San Andreas Wednesday to commence the work of experting the books of county officials for the four years preceding January 1, 1909. He has been employed by the supervisors at a salary of \$5 per day. We indulge the hope that he will be able to perform his work in a thorough manner, showing up everything that bears the stamp of illegality or graft.

### Indians on the March.

Many of the Indians from camps in this section were on the move for two or three days this week. They are traveling toward Ione valley, where a fandango is to be held. They rendezvous about this time every year. As the bulk of the Digger Indian population lives in the valley, the vicinity of Buena Vista is usually the place where their big pow-wow takes place in this county. One attraction is also the coming May-day picnic at Ione, which acts on the Indians as a magnet to draw them to the festivities, just the same as a circus. A dozen or more passed through Jackson on Wednesday, some on foot others mounted on curts and ponies.

Mr Grist, who has charge of the Indian reservation three miles from here, says all the Diggers, except two, have gone to the jamboree. They will not return for nearly a week. The gala time commences today.

### Arm Broken.

Peter Cuneo, who lives in the vicinity of Clinton, fractured his arm on Tuesday evening. He was driving toward home along the south fork road, when a limb of a tree took his hat off. He stopped his wagon, and in jumping to the ground his foot caught in the lines, throwing him violently, breaking the small bone of the arm a little below the elbow. Dr. Gall has charge of the case.

### Died of Miners' Consumption.

Spiro Lepitch died at his home at Jackson Gate on Monday evening last, after an illness extending over several years of miners' consumption. He leaves a wife and two children, a son and daughter. The son is employed in driving the delivery wagon for Fred Rabb's butcher shop. Deceased was a member of the United Order of Workmen, and was insured in that order.

Deceased was 69 years of age. The funeral took place on Thursday, interment in the cemetery of the Greek church, the Rev. T. H. Nicholas, of the M. E. church, officiating in the absence of the regular priest.

Deceased leaves some property in his native land, valued at \$1000. It is understood that he left a will.

### Petty Thefts.

There has been much complaint on the score of raiding clothes lines, chicken roosts, etc., by petty thieves. A few days ago the clothes line of Mrs Morrow, on the Hamilton tract, was stripped of its load of clothing, left out during the night to dry. It seems remarkable that crimes of this character can be kept up so persistently without detection.



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## SUPERIOR COURT PROCEEDINGS

RON F. V. WOOD, JUDGE

Central Trust Co. vs. William A. Nevills.—Demurrer overruled; defendant allowed 20 days to answer.

People vs. P. Dabovich.—Continued until May 8, when time of trial will then be set.

Estate of Lizzie Bell Upton.—Inventory and appraisal filed; estate appraised at \$1175.95.

Estate of Thomas Kowse.—Inventory and appraisal filed; estate appraised at \$1175.95.

Estate of William McGrady.—John McGrady petition for letters of administration. April 24 appointed for hearing.

Estate of W. H. Putman.—Wm. Schroeder applies for letter of administration. April 24 set for hearing.

### New Cases

Estate of Christian Kientz.—Katherine Kientz petitions for letters of administration. May 5th set for hearing. Deceased died November 9, 1901, leaving property in this county consisting of cash amounting to \$200, also estate in Erie county, New York, consisting of a one-fourth interest in the estate of Phillip Kientz, deceased, valued at \$240. The heirs are the petitioner, widow of deceased living in Lodi, Cal.; Henry Kientz, aged 27; Edward Kientz, 24 years; Elsie Kientz, George Kientz 19, and Walter Kientz, Edna 14, and Ida Kientz 11, all grandchildren of petitioner, living in Stockton, and Wilhelmine Koch, residing at Lodi.

Estate of Joaquin S. Soares.—Estela Soares petitions for letters. May 5th set for hearing.

### The Circus

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### Cut By Glass.

A man named R. Divicchio, while at work near the old Oneida mine last week, leaned his weight on the sharp edge of a glass bottle, receiving a cut over the knuckles of his right hand. In a day or so the hand commenced to swell, the inflammation extending beyond the wrist. He had to seek the services of Dr. Endicott, and has been under his care since. About a year ago he was bitten on the first finger of the same hand by a rattlesnake while employed near Copper hill mine near Latrobe. That misfortune necessitated a lay-off also, but the wound healed up, and now shows no indications of the bite. It may be that the inflammation attending the cut above described is due to some extent to the virus injected into the system by the rattlesnake.

### Taxpayers Attention.

The assessor of Amador county will take up the assessment of property in township one on the 1st Monday in May, and continue assessing in said township until June 1st.

For the accommodation of those working day shift he will take assessments at his office in the court house from 6:30 o'clock to 8:30 o'clock p. m. from May 3 to May 8 inclusive.

CLARENCE E. JARVIS, County Assessor.

### DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

[The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report. We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so]

Deeds.—Thos. C. Mayon to Josephine Retaghiatti, lot 2 block 3, Amador City, \$10.

Rosalie Doudero to Joseph Previtali, lot in South Jackson, \$10.

James Pascoe and wife to William E. Castle and wife, lot 31 block 22, Sutter Creek, \$10.

Mortgage.—John Blower to Francis E. Wilson, 120 acres in 8-32-11, \$425, one year at 8 per cent.

Satisfaction of Mortgage.—Moore to Mack.

Abstract of Judgment.—W. D. Dufrere vs. W. E. Strueman et al. Judgment obtained in Justice Court of Township No. 1, for \$404.99.

Certificate of Redemption.—House and lot in Jackson, Mrs L. Clark, for 1902-3, \$34.74.

### Held to Answer.

The preliminary examination of A. Payne and J. Carroll, accused of stealing \$60 from a miner named Nick Ianso in Plymouth two weeks ago, was held before Judge Blower in Plymouth last Monday. There was only one side to the case, as Carroll had owned up to the facts and told where the stolen money was to be found. He had been given \$20 by Payne. The charge against Payne is grand larceny, and receiving stolen property, is placed against Carroll. Neither one made any defense nor is it expected that either will stand trial. They were held to answer, with bail fixed at \$2000, which they were unable to give, and are therefore still in jail.

### Died of Brain Fever.

Dr. Endicott was summoned to West Point Sunday to attend a young man named Hardy Ellsworth Bruce, who was suffering from brain fever. He had been afflicted with this disease only a day or two before the Jackson physician visited him. The case was recognized as a very dangerous one, demanding the services of a trained nurse. Miss Winter of Ione was engaged, and Dr. Endicott took the nurse up there on Monday. While the doctor was there the patient died, so the nurse came back to Jackson the same evening, and returned to her home in the valley Tuesday. The deceased was aged 25 years 11 months and 3 days.

### Notice for Publication—01949

Department of the Interior.  
U. S. Land Office at Sacramento, Cal.  
April 12, 1909.  
Notice is hereby given that Willis E. Moss of Defender, Calif., who, on Dec 3, 1903, made H. E., No. 7614, for 1/2 of SW 1/4, SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 and Lot 3, Section 2, Township 7 N., Range 13 E., Mount Diablo Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five years proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before U. S. Commissioner for Amador county, Calif., at his office in Jackson, Calif., on the 22nd day of May 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses.  
Arthur E. Lessley, Walter R. Webster, James Shafer and A. H. A. Burbank, all of Defender, Calif.  
JOHN F. ARMSTRONG,  
ap16 Register.

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### Notice of Selection Under Act of June 4, 1897.

(39 Stats., 36)  
United States Land Office at Sacramento, State of California.  
To Whom It May Concern:  
Notice is hereby given that the Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Company has filed in this office its lieu selection under Act of June 4, 1897. (39 Stats., 36) for the NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 and Lot 1 of Sec. 33, T. 5 N., R. 10 E., M. D. M.

A copy of this notice has been conspicuously posted in this office for the inspection of persons interested and the public generally.

During the five weeks' period of publication of this notice, or any time thereafter, and before final approval and certification, this office will receive protests or contests as to any of the tracts applied for, and transmit same to the General Land Office.

Dated, Sacramento, Calif., April 12, 1909.

JOHN F. ARMSTRONG, Register.  
WILL A. NEWCOMB, Receiver.  
Date of first publication April 16, 1909.



## From Our Exchanges.

A law passed by the last legislature and signed by the governor absolutely prohibits the killing of any mountain quail, grouse or sage hen before September 1, 1911. The bag limit on valley quail was also reduced to 20 in any one day for one individual. The closed season for valley quail extends from February 1st to October 1st of each year.—Nugget.

Among the recent candidates in the Portola contest who have caused a great deal of favorable comment is Mrs. Ida Casey, daughter of Colonel Wm. Robinson, a well known mining man of Mokelumne Hill. Mrs. Casey has on many occasions taken important parts in amateur theatricals and won a reputation as an amateur actress of more than ordinary ability. The contest closes April 17, 1909, and the winner will be proclaimed the most beautiful woman in California. She will be the "queen of Beauty" at the big carnival in October and her likeness will be sent throughout the world as the "Portola poster girl." One hundred dollars in gold will be given to the winner in the contest.—Prospect.

The bill of exceptions in the suit involving the Royal mines at Hodson which was tried in the superior court here some time ago was settled Monday by Judge McSorley and the case is now on its way to the appellate court. The bill of exceptions was a formidable document of over 600 pages of type written matter.—Prospect.

The supervisors will on Tuesday May 4th, 1906, at 12 o'clock m., meet with the board of supervisors of the county of Amador, at the site of the Big Bar bridge, for the purpose of conferring with the said Amador board of supervisors in relation to the purchase of the Big Bar bridge, by the counties of Amador and Calaveras.—Prospect.

A hundred men arrived in Sonora Thursday night, bringing the total for the week up to over 250. All are bound for the construction camps and saw mills in the mountains, at which about two thousand hands will be employed throughout the summer.—Union Democrat.

The Lone Creamery turned out, in the month of March, 14,781 pounds of butter. That is a big output for March, especially this season, when green feed has been so backward. The butter made here has a fine reputation abroad and finds ready sale.—Echo.

Joseph Hyde and Miss Margaret Keefe were quietly wedded in San Francisco Wednesday forenoon. The groom is the oldest son of W. J. Hyde and lived in Jackson Valley for a number of years, and for the past three years has been clerk at the Western Hotel in Sacramento. His many friends wish them a long and happy married life together.—Lone Echo.

The growth of the Christian churches of the United States in the year 1908 was not so rapid as in any one of the preceding five years, according to statistics of all the religious bodies just compiled by Dr. H. K. Carroll, of New York. In the report are included only church members in the United States. In all Christian churches in this country—Protestant and Catholic—there are now 34,282,543 members. Of this total 12,094,656 are credited to the Roman Catholic church. In all the churches 720,647 communicants were added in 1908, far less than was the gain in 1907, which was reported as 1,241,286, but more than half of that total was credited to the Roman Catholic church.—Atchison Globe.

Explorers have been trying to get into Tibet for a million years, and failed, until recently, apparently, but maps on the walls of the Doge's palace at Venice show the countries visited by the early Venetians, and prove that they visited and mapped parts of Tibet many centuries ago, and that recent discoveries in Tibet were really made by the Venetians. It was from Tibet, by-the-way, that the game of polo came. The English officers quartered on the borderland of Tibet learned the game from the natives, and it became so popular among the English in India that it was finally introduced into England, where it met with instant favor. After awhile, it crossed the water, and is now popular in America as well as in England and Australia.—Atchison Globe.

### Phears' Express.

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## GLOBE SIGHTS.

Every ten years, an old joke is new again.

Some people never have anything except ideals.

Spring never comes as soon as people expect it to.

A new policeman behaves like a new boy in Sunday school.

A man can keep a secret all right if it is a mean story on himself.

Patience becomes a habit quicker with a woman than with a man.

Even those who said they liked winter, are beginning to be bored.

As a rule, apprehension forms two-thirds of the telegraph in a news paper.

You can't scare a boy away from the table with the thirteen proposition.

Living at the White House is not all joy: the Taft kin are beginning to arrive.

An Atchison fat man who is particularly good natured, is known as "Gloomy."

A good many people believe that to know a lot of contemptible gossip, is to be wise.

The amount that people have to learn is entirely too great for their length of life.

"To escape criticism," says an advertising card, "do nothing, say nothing, be nothing."

The more pigeonholes in a man's desk, the harder it is for him to find what he is looking for.

Actresses, unlike other women, do not quit having their pictures taken when they get married.

An old man forgets how many children he had five years younger than his wife forgets it.

It is high time whisky was in trouble, for many years it has been making trouble for other people.

When an elderly man enjoys perfect health he is as proud of it as a handsome young woman of her beauty.

Among the men, there is always a lot of smoke when women are concerned, but, as a rule, very little fire.

Be careful of the man who compliments you; he is probably puffing you up with a view of cutting you open.

A woman will keep out her best knives and forks longer for her own visiting kin than for her husband's visiting kin.

It is a good plan, when the matrimonial field is bare at home, to send a girl to some other town to study art or music.

In the fullest interpretation of the term, a "society woman" is a woman with nothing to do, and who wouldn't do it if she had.

About all the future some people have left is longing for summer when it is spring.

The great trouble with this world seems to be that no frugal, sensible woman has ever been regarded as a leader of fashion.

It sometimes happens that the people never find out a man is an eloquent talker, because he didn't get started on his wrongs.

A young man is apt to believe that things just happen. His father knows that everything that happens is some sort of a natural result.

A woman always gets cross when she has to get up to let her husband in, but she doesn't mind it at all to get up and let the cat out.

Young people are always claiming a broken heart, but old people never claim it. They have found out that they can get over so much.

Since the young men have been teaching the girls to skate, they are horrified and astonished to find so many of them pigeon-toed.

It is said that the reason the director's gown was a failure is because the men did not display the curiosity that was expected of them.

When we save up money to buy a new cigar, we do hate to have some croaker say that the money should have been given to the poor.

A woman, who has buried one husband, separated from a second, and lives unhappily with a third, doesn't usually think very well of the man.

When a man has nothing else of value to brag about, he tells how conscientious he is in voting, and that he wouldn't sell his vote at any price.

How numerous annoyances are! Are you usually responsible for your annoyances, or have you acquaintances who provide most of them for you.

This is an opinion: That opinions are a good deal like a shiftless man: don't amount to much, and have a way of "butting in" where they are not wanted.

A rich man may be proud of the fact that he originated in a log cabin, but he knows better than to brag about it when his daughter, the Princess, is around.

A fresh and promising young fellow of this town is engaged to a girl who has been engaged six times before, and he is now generally known as "the Relief Corps."

If a murder, a fire, a divorce, or the day the bread burned up, happened on the birthday of some member of her family a woman never gets so old

she can't remember it.

An old hunter says there never was a hunting dog that amounted to much; that the stories of wonderful hunting dogs are all due to the disposition of hunters to lie.

By the time a man reaches 40, young people begin taunting him because he has not amounted to more, at the same time telling of the great things they intend to do.

You often hear people say, "He ought to have a good talking to." But no one ever seems to benefit as a result of "a good talking to." They take it as abuse, and talk back.

It is now proposed to tax widowers and bachelors, and use the money thus to pension old maids.

## ROUGH HOUSE AT BIG MINE.

Following a more or less free-for-all fight in the boarding house at the Eagle-Shawmut mine last Wednesday at the supper hour, 67 Slavonians quit work. During the melee crockery was smashed, one waiter knocked senseless and the steward chased from the building.

The entire trouble arose over the question of social precedence, or more properly speaking, social rights. Probably just to prevent international trouble at meal time, the steward had arranged it so that seats to the six long tables in the big dining room were regulated entirely by nationality. One table was called the American, three tables the Slavonian and two the Italian. It was a nice system, avoiding a confusion of tongues and table manners.

All went well until Wednesday evening, when a number of Slavonians, evidently by preconcerted plan, appropriated seats at the American table, although there was plenty of room at the tables reserved for their exclusive use. The steward remonstrated with the trespassers, who were in an ugly mood, and after a few high words open hostilities were initiated. Dishes, knives and forks were thrown and in a minute the place looked as if it had been struck by a cyclone. The waiters evidently went to the assistance of their chief, and one of them was laid out by a porcelain missile. The steward, the real object of Slavic hate, escaped by flight. He would have been roughly handled, possibly killed, had the infuriated foreigners succeeded in getting him in their clutches.

After the fight superintendent Charles Uren discharged four or five of the men, who from investigation he was satisfied were the ring-leaders.

This action resulted in 67 of the 71 Slavs employed at the mine refusing to go to work and asking for their time. They were paid off the following day and there is now a good chance for miners to get on the Eagle-Shawmut pay roll. Superintendent Uren says that the men's places will be filled as fast as others apply for the vacant jobs. Every man presenting himself, regardless of nationality, will be put to work till the force is back to its usual 250. Other Slavonians are not barred, but all seeking employment at the mine must do so with the understanding that the dining room's rule of segregation be lived up to.

The Slavonians had no complaint as to hours of labor, pay, or the quality or quantity of food supplied them. Everything was perfectly satisfactory but the table arrangement, some concluding that they were as good as anybody and that they should be permitted to select seats where they pleased during dining hours; that segregation was humiliating and insulting. Others at the mine, which is the largest in the county, believe the steward's mode of allotment in the grub department perfectly proper and the best for all concerned.—Union Democrat.

## "One Touch of Nature Makes the Whole World Kin."

When a rooster finds a big fat worm he calls all the hens in the farm yard to come and share it. A similar trait of human nature is to be observed when a man discovers something exceptionally good—he wants all his friends and neighbors to share the benefits of his discovery. This is the touch of nature that makes the whole world kin. This explains why people who have been cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy write letters to the manufacturers for publication, that others similarly ailing may also use it and obtain relief. Behind every one of these letters is a warm hearted wish of the writer to be of use to someone else. This remedy is for sale by Jackson Drug Store, Spagnoli, Prop.

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## Miss Markland's Method.

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Miss Markland never ran up against stone walls. If she wished to go where the path was difficult she smiled, and, presto, there were flowers for her to step on. If it was necessary to plan she could plan admirably. Indeed, she was very resourceful.

Miss Markland was looking for a husband. Not that she was devoid of offers. Indeed, her main business in life seemed to be to avoid proposals. She felt that it was time for her to marry, and she had not met the man she wanted. She scouted those she had been brought up with. Most girls do. She went abroad and met many foreigners, none of whom appealed to her. At last in France she found the man she wanted in an American, a little pale faced, spectacled, red headed creature entirely unlike the host of suitors she had declined.

Professor Mikleman was an archaeologist. It may be thought that Miss Markland wanted him on account of the ideality of the work that absorbed him. Not at all. She was not ideal or intellectual and considered the professor a mere digger. The reason she coveted him was because she had no attraction for him, while a hip bone 2,000 years old, a piece of broken pottery, a coin so worn that only the nose of some dead barbarian king could be discovered on it, were enough to make him dance in wild delight. Miss Markland, tactful, sympathetic, ingenious, instead of quarrelling with Professor Mikleman because he preferred these things to her, resolved to win him through her successful rivals.

Professor Mikleman's work at the time was hunting for a town of the ancient Gauls, Nelodunum, in what had been the province of the Senones. It was but a short distance from Paris, which city the professor made his headquarters. Miss Markland manifested an interest in the work and formed a party to visit it. She found the professor bossing a gang of men who were making holes in the ground at points designated by their employer, who spent his leisure time studying maps, books in the Latin language and copious memoranda. Though the digging had gone on a month, nothing had been found but the jawbone of a woman, which the professor pronounced Gallic.

The professor was getting discouraged. Miss Markland sympathized with him. She asked him what kind of things he hoped to find. He told her that the Romans had campaigned in the province and it had become Roman. He therefore looked for Roman articles, such as armor, weapons, pottery, coins. That was all Miss Markland wanted to know.

The party, all except Professor Mikleman, returned to Paris. Miss Markland wrote the professor encouraging him to dig on. She knew he was brave and would not give up. He did give up and came back to Paris. Miss Markland induced him to revise his work pertaining to the location of Nelodunum. He consented and spent a month in the Paris libraries. He found a new record indicating that the town lay several hundred yards from where he had been digging. He was about to hurry again to his work when Miss Markland persuaded him to guide a party to some of his other excavations. He consented.

The day before the departure Miss Markland received several boxes by express. Their arrival was announced to her when Professor Mikleman was with her. He looked curious, whereupon she told him they contained tombstones that she had ordered for her family lot in a cemetery in America.

On the return to Paris after a ten days' absence examining Professor Mikleman's excavations he announced that he was going to dig for Nelodunum on the new site. Miss Markland persuaded him to consult with other eminent excavators, and this further delayed him. When he was ready to proceed Miss Markland induced her brother, who was a graduate of an American university and a great scholar, to take an interest in the matter, and the two went with the professor to the spot to be excavated. He ordered several holes dug when Miss Markland suggested digging on a spot near where some one had driven in a peg. The professor did not notice the peg, for Miss Markland was standing on it. The workmen went down six feet and brought up a Roman helmet, a piece of broken statuary and half a dozen arrows in quick succession.

The professor was much excited. A number of coins, mostly Roman; an earthen pitcher, a greave and a Roman short sword came next.

The professor was in ecstasies. The next article was evidently quite large, for the workmen were obliged to dig about it. Finally they got it out. When the professor saw it he danced about, crying, "The head of a ram!" and, not knowing what he did, threw his arms about Miss Markland's neck. It was some time before she could quiet him sufficiently for him to explain that the ram's head was a Roman weapon for battering walls.

Well, Professor Mikleman, though he found articles only within a limited region, became famous for correcting noted excavators as to the location of Nelodunum. He attributed his success to Miss Markland and told her he could not possibly live without her.

Shortly before the wedding Miss Markland paid two bills—one to Giovanni Cutilmar, a relic dealer, for four boxes of relics, the other to Jean Gaudier, contractor, for burying the articles. SALLIE MENDUM.



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A Life-Saving Cannon.—Age of Rocks Shown by Helium.— The Greatest Whales—Measuring the Earth's Shrinkng.—Cold Storage Transportation of Flowers.—Music from the Drum.—Photogravures in Colors.— Ear-Trumpet Divining Rod.—Radium Therapy.

Wrecked vessels are usually unprovided with any means of throwing a life-line to shore, but the new apparatus brought before a British committee of experts by A. J. McLeod, of West Hartlepool, is designed especially for use from the ship. It is in the form of a cannon, with a barrel 5 feet long, mounted on a four-wheeled carriage. Compressed air is the propelling power, and a crank wheel on each side gives a means of quickly generating by hand sufficient energy to throw the line-carrying projectile half a mile. A special check keeps the line from unwinding from its winch so rapidly as to become tangled. In the trials made, this apparatus seem to have proven more efficient and to have a longer range than the ordinary rocket, and, as it uses no explosive, it can be employed without risk of firing any combustible or explosive cargo. Line-throwing from the vessel has a number of advantages. The apparatus is promptly at hand, the wind is usually toward shore, and the land is a much better target than the life-savers have when working from shore.

The quantity of helium present is thought by R. J. Strutt to bear a definite relation to the age of radioactive rocks. From the ratio of the helium to the uranium, he has estimated the time necessary to accumulate the former,—that is, the age of the stratum. His provisional results show an age of 225,000 years for the English Pliocene, 3,080,000 for the upper green sand of the Cretaceous, 3,950,000 for the lower green sand, and 141,000,000 for the hematite covering limestone of the Carboniferous.

A blue whale 87 feet long has been reported by E. K. Waite, of Canterbury Museum, Christchurch, N. Z. Of blue whales taken off the coast of Newfoundland, F. A. Lucas, of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, in 1903 measured 26, finding the largest a little less than 80 feet in extreme length. A whale's skeleton in Copenhagen reported to be 150 feet long proves, on investigation, to measure only 75 feet.

Attention has been drawn recently to the probable fact that the earth's shrinkage is taking place at a measurable rate, so that accurate surveys in all countries at regular intervals of 30 or 40 years are recommended for the enlightenment of future generations. Most of the rocks in sight were originally deposited by water in a horizontal position, but cooling and shrinking changed this size and consequently the contour of the surface, causing strata to be pushed up as dry land and folded into mountain ranges, the crumpling that formed the Alps having produced a horizontal displacement of 75 miles.

Various measurements of a degree of latitude seem to indicate that the earth's quadrant has shortened more than 10 per cent since the time of Eratosthenes (230 B. C.) Modern triangulation is very exact, and measurements at regular intervals of a degree on different parts of the earth would eventually show whether shrinkage is really perceptible and whether its ratio is uniform or the result of occasional violent convulsions. Since the San Francisco earthquake, a repetition of surveys over more than 4,000 square miles has shown displacements varying from 20 inches to 15 feet. The same causes affect elevation, and leveling at different times can reveal changes of 4 inches in the height of land. Towers and other prominent objects have sunk in Saxony within a generation so as to be no longer visible from certain points. Periodical surveys, horizontal and vertical, will be useful in various ways, and may even give a hint as to the ultimate fate of the earth.

Only within quite recent years have tropical fruits become common in northern markets, and now a new luxury is promised in tropical and out of season flowers. In refrigerators these are kept quite fresh while being transported long distances. During the winter, flowers picked in the bud in Cape Colony have been carried in cold storage to London, where, on being placed in water, they slowly expanded and developed into full bloom. Flowers supplied in this way may be less expensive than those raised in greenhouses, while they have lasted even longer than those freshly picked from gardens.

The great possibilities of the kettle-drum as a musical instrument have been urged to the London Society of Arts by G. C. Cleather. He finds it comparable to the violin in the exquisite effects attainable, but the tone, like that of the violin, depends upon the performer. He hopes to see a scholarship founded to encourage study in this neglected field.

Photogravure printing in colors is a late development that promises much. In color photography three negatives are made under screens of the primary colors, and similarly, three plates are prepared under such screens for the new process. In printing, the ink used corresponds in color with that of the screen under which the plate was made. A difficulty is that the inks are not perfectly transparent, and as one is used over another there is a less perfect gradation of shades than when the images from the three negatives are superimposed upon a screen in color photography. With experience, however, the results, already good, will undoubtedly be improved. An enthusiastic prediction is that illustration in natural colors will become general, and that the mezzochrome will supplant the ordinary half-tone photogravure as effectually as the latter has taken the place of the steel engraving.

A new instrument for detecting underground streams has been produced by three French engineers—Dienert, Guillard and Marrec—by adapting the "acoustele," or sound trumpet, of Daguin. It is in the form of a large trumpet with the mouth resting on the ground, an inverted metal cone partially filling the lower part of the interior, and a rubber tube at the small end terminating in a pair of ear-pieces. A surrounding box stuffed with insulating material shuts out sounds from the air. In one test made, water running from a pipe into a reservoir 230 feet below the surface was heard, even when the instrument was 530 feet to one side; and in another trial, water dripping from the ground into a reservoir buried 145 feet deep was distinctly perceived. In deciding where a well should be bored, the acoustele is tried successively in several holes a foot deep until the spot of loudest sound is located.

Radium institutes have been established in Paris and London, and a donation of \$32,500 has been made to found one in Heidelberg. At these institutes radium is used both in experimental work and in regular practice. The investigations already made have shown important possibilities in radium treatment, and difficult cases of lupus and other skin diseases are undertaken already with considerable certainty of cure or material benefit.

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DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Miss Sarah C. Murray of Newton, Mass., carried off high honors last year at Munich. She obtained the Ph. D. degree, and her name was placed on the honor roll of the university.

Mrs. Annetta Wilber is a charter member of the Marysville Bit and Spur club of Ohio and, though ninety years old, is still an active horsewoman and takes part in all the club's rides.

A woman of Martenton, Ind., who has been married three times holds the record for ornithological nomenclature. Her maiden name was Partridge, her first two husbands were named respectively Robin and Sparrow, and she is now Mrs. Quayle. One of her grandfathers was a Swann.

Dr. Rosa Liebig of Marshalltown, Ia., holds six different positions, including an office in the W. R. C., one in the Eastern Star, she is officially appointed humane officer, is truant officer, county overseer of the poor and secretary of a private company. She was once at Washington, special agent of the bureau of commerce and labor.

Mrs. Mary Weaver has been appointed in one of the neighborhoods of Chicago to take the place of the policeman, as she has a very great influence over the boys of the streets. She has ten children of her own and is very highly regarded by the boys, who are perfectly willing to obey her, although they made life miserable for the policemen.

Things Theatrical.

Next season David Belasco will provide a new play for David Warfield.

Hal Reid's new play, "Unto the Fourth Generation," it is said, has been secured by Henry B. Harris for possible use of Robert Edeson.

Hattie Williams will soon forsake "Fluffy Ruffles" and musical comedy generally for the stellar part in a comedy by Alexander Bisson, "The Marriage of a Star."

Sid Herbert, who is the detective in "The Thief," played for years in Sir Henry Irving's company and was a well known Shylock to Ada Rehan's Portia in the old days at Daly's.

Margaret Anglin has been the recipient of an urgent invitation to act in India before returning from Australia, but her plans for a vacation having been already made she has been compelled to decline at any rate for the present.

German Gleanings.

The German empire consumes 85,000 tons of tobacco a year.

Fourteen per cent of the total population of Prussia pays an income tax.

So much dissatisfaction is felt in Germany about the government's naval plans that the seceders from the Navy League of Germany are expected to number 140,000.

There is such a dearth of marriageable young women in certain parts of Alsace-Lorraine that in the town of Knechtigen 1,500 single women have 5,000 men from whom to choose their husbands.

Town Topics.

The city of Niagara Falls is rapidly increasing in population owing to the rapid industrial expansion of that section of the country.

The town of Rockland does a bigger lobster business than any other place of its size in Maine and for ten years has been shipping lobsters to the Pacific coast.

The town of Three Rivers, Mich., abolished hitching posts from its streets some seven years ago. Now so great have been the complaints of the farmers it has been obliged to put them back again.

Train and Track.

The Pennsylvania railroad has adopted the third rail system of electrical transmission for its tunnels in the vicinity of New York city.

There has been installed in the railroad yards at Omaha, Neb., an electric truck the movements of which are absolutely controlled by wireless electric waves.

According to an official report, while in the past seven years 258,020,836 passengers have been carried on the railroads of New South Wales, only one person was killed by an accident.

College and School.

Bowdoin college has been placed upon the Carnegie foundation.

Hawkshed grammar school, near Ambleside, England, where Wordsworth was educated and which was founded in 1585 by Edwyne Sandys, archbishop of York, is to be closed.

The University of Michigan reports an enrollment of 4,530 students in all departments and in a recent bulletin says that "when summer schools are not counted the university stands, next to Harvard, the largest in the country."

Law Points.

That a creditor cannot by proceeding in equity subject the debtor's cause of action for conversion to the payment of his claim is held in Raymond versus Glancross, 36 Mont. 449, 93 Pac. 648, 15 L. R. A. (N. S.) 976.

One who slips and falls upon a street crossing rendered slippery by oil applied by a trolley company to its tracks to facilitate rounding a curve is held in Slater versus North Jersey Street Railway company (N. J. Err. and App.) 69 Atl. 103, 15 L. R. A. (N. S.) 840, to be entitled to recover for injuries received.

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LOCAL EDITORIAL COLUMN.

NO CHANGE IN OFFICIAL FEES.

We are informed by Senator A. Caminetti that no change whatever has been made in the fee system of Amador county by the last legislature. All the hifalutin promises on this score have come to naught. We do not know whether any effort was made to incorporate the changes which it was admitted on all sides were urgently needed in the new county government bill. The matter was in charge of Senator Caminetti, and he volunteered to use his best efforts in framing a fee bill more advantageous to the taxpayers of Amador county. A judicious readjustment of fees collected by recorder, sheriff and county clerk would have helped materially in increasing the revenue of the county, and thereby relieved to some extent the overburdened taxpayers. But, alas, the performance fell short of the promise.

Indications are favorable for the active developement of the mining resources of this county within the next few years. Capital is not pouring into the deserts of Nevada as formerly. That boom has played itself out. The gold belt of Amador county offers better inducements. When pay ore is struck on this lode, it is very apt to prove permanent, yielding up its treasures for a generation. These are the kind of mines that men with large capital are looking for. Those who take up mining as a legitimate business, and not for speculative purposes, prefer the steady producer, to the flash-in-the-pan pocketty mine, that peters out a few hundred feet from the grass roots.

We do not underestimate the importance of our agricultural and horticultural resources in the least. These must eventually come to the front in the future, and be appreciated at their true worth by the home seekers. Still mining—and gold mining at that—will continue to be—as it has been in the past—our main dependence for prosperity. It is probable that the output of gold for Amador for the current year will be larger than any year in the past decade. This fact along ought to be sufficient to attract more attention to a section that has been a liberal gold producer for the past sixty years, and is still comparatively untouched.

The El Dorado Republican and Nuggett of Placerville have consolidated. G. A. Richardson has conducted the Republican for twenty five years. He is one of the ablest editors of the interior weeklies of this state. His retirement is a loss to the profession of journalism. He will retain an interest in the consolidated papers, but will take no active part in the management, other business demanding his attention.

The talk of an income tax is revived in congress, and is meeting with determined opposition, as well as ardent advocates. Owing to the cut in the tariff rates, it is expected that the customs revenue will be heavily decreased, and to make up the deficiencie the income tax is proposed. To avoid such a method of raising revenue, there is strong talk of cutting down the expenses, particularly the appropriations for army and navy. No doubt the true course lies in the direction of lopping off unnecessary expenditures. And eventually this policy will prevail, not only in national but in state and county affairs also. We cannot go on forever piling up governmental expenses, regardless of the ability of the people to bear the additional burden.

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Sunday—F S Marchant, Healdsburg; J D Jones, Stockton; S S Thompson, El Dorado; L Otten, San Francisco; E C Hamilton, Angels; D M Yost, Sacramento; T C Allen, Roseville; P H Nuner, San Andreas; H B Ward, Oakland; Albert Magenta, San Francisco.

Tuesday—Fred C Martin, Sutter Creek; John Mathis, Plymouth; T Lang, San Francisco; A Sainaghi, Oakland; Y J Lelfurger, San Francisco; J Wellington, Oakland; J S Jack, San Andreas.

Wednesday—Fred Jones, Sacramento; Tom Bryant, Latrobe; W P Bascombe, Camp Seco; Jas. McBride, Sacramento; E P Bates, Oakland; G French J Holster, F M Cook, Alameda; Jas Coffman and wife, West Point.

Thursday—O M Bence, San Francisco; Andrew Howerton, Volcano; A B Summers, Plymouth.

National: Friday—H Hueber, E B Young, John C Reimer, A Samaghi, F B Winchell, W K Bath, R E Scott, San Francisco; Geo S Kirby, Salt Lake; Geo A Gray, Stockton; D M Jones, L Lesser, E Snidler, Geo F Samuels, San Francisco; Phil Harris, St. Louis; Mrs G Dawson, Miss B Grey, Seattle; O W Roberts, Chicago.

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Won the Mile Running Race.

Tommy Smith, the Berkeley University student, who won the mile run in the Stanford California field meet last Saturday, is a nephew of Mrs E. H. Haxington and Miss Emma Boardman of this city. Both of his parents were born and raised in Amador county. The winning of this event was the brightest feature of the meet from California University view point. The Chronicle of Sunday says of the race:

California's first opportunity for rejoicing came with the beginning of activities on the oval, when Tommy Smith came to the front in the mile run over the former record holders' Bradford of Stanford and De Mamiel of California, as well as the remainder of the squad, which was adjudged one of the most formidable that ever left the mark in this annual race. At the start Hemphill of Stanford, followed by his team mate, Bradford, set the pace, with Peterson third and De Mamiel fourth, while the choice of the blue and gold runners, Smith, was in the position. Bradford took the lead on the second lap, with Hemphill second, followed by De Mamiel third, Smith fourth and Erskine, running strong, fifth in line. They covered the half-mile in 2:11 1-5, with Bradford keeping to the frobt. and Hemphill second.

Just as Smith has won all of his races this season, he spurted to the front on the fourth lap, taking the pace from Hemphill, Bradford having dropped behind. Erskine and McGregor disputed second place on the last turn, the Stanford man passing his opponent and endeavoring to overhaul Smith. The two raced side by side to the tape, there being little to choose between the two, when Smith just managed to hurl himself over the line in 4:35, a good result.

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